an active legal career. In 1871 he was elected a director of the Chestertown National Bank, and in March of 1887. was elected president of the institution. He is the wealthiest man in Kent county, and probably the county's most extensive real estate holder, having a number of valuable farms in both Kent and Queen Anne's. past ten years he and his unwavering friend. Wm. D. Burchinal, have been the mainspring of the Republican party in Kent county, leading in its organization, making its fights, and liberally contributing to its campaigns, in work and money. Mr. Westcott is the sole owner of the Chestertown water works. He has never held public office, though he has each year been offered positions on the ticket of his party. He married Miss Guison, of North Carolina. He was a prominent candidate for the United States Senatorship in the session of 1896. was on committee on finance, on committee on militia. on committee on Federal relations, on committee amendments to the Constitution, of the last Senate.

## Montgomery County-WILLIAM VIERS BOUIC.

William Viers Bouic is a native of Montgomery county, having been born near Rockville in July, 1846, and is the only son of the late Judge William Viers Bouic. He was educated at the Rockville Academy and Columbian University, Washington, from which latter institution he was graduated in 1867. Immediately after leaving college, he entered the office of Anderson & Bouic, and pursued the study of law. He was admitted to the bar in 1870, and associated himself in the practice of law with Thomas Anderson, taking the place of his father, who had been elected to the bench. The firm of Anderson & Bouic still continues, and enjoys a large practice. In 1892 Mr. Bouic was a Presidential elector, and was Mayor of Rockville for several terms. He has always been a Democrat. Mr. Bouic married Miss Alice Almoney.

## Prince George's County.—WILLIAM B. CLAGETT.

William B. Clagett is a native of Prince George's county. He is about 45 years old, and is a son of the late Charles Clagett, who for many years was Chief Judge of the Orphans' Court of Prince George's. He is a planter, and resides near Upper Marlboro'. Two years ago Mr. Clagett ran on the Democratic ticket for Clerk